

CSWC Operational Period Summary

1800 September 12 2015 to 0600 September 13 2015



Flames and smoke from the Valley Fire, Lake and Napa Counties, as seen from Middleton on 09/12/15

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Note: [Report changes/updates are in blue](#)



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SITUATION SUMMARY

National News – Significant Events

Phoenix Interstate 10 shootings: Copycat may have struck

(CNN) As if the rash of shootings along a busy stretch of Interstate 10 in downtown Phoenix wasn't bad enough, authorities now may have a copycat on their hands. That's a real possibility after two additional shootings -- not on I-10 but along roadways elsewhere in the Arizona capital -- late Thursday morning. A source with direct knowledge of the investigation said this may be someone trying to emulate the earlier shootings. A man and a woman were questioned in connection with the interstate shootings, according to the Arizona Department of Public Safety. The man was booked into jail Friday on unrelated charges, authorities said, providing no other details. The woman, who was in a car during a traffic stop, was later released. Police are investigating the latest incidents as separate shootings, having not definitively linked them to the earlier cases. Arizona State Troopers spokesman Tim Case said Thursday afternoon there have been at least 11 confirmed shootings in and around I-10 in less than two weeks, not including what he called "numerous reports this morning of other vehicles with damage." "This has not been confirmed to be part of this investigation," Case said of the new cases. On Friday, police were investigating another report of shots fired, this time on I-17, reported CNN affiliate KNXV. Arizona's DPS chief hasn't yet called this a case of a serial sniper, which could imply someone staking out a perch to selectively target people. Nor have authorities given any indication that they have a suspect in mind. But Col. Frank Milstead, the DPS director, has called tracking down the person responsible "job one," a sentiment echoed by Arizona's governor.

International News – Significant Events

War has forced half of Syrians from their homes

(CNN) Imagine every man, woman and child leaving home in 29 states, mostly in the U.S. West and Midwest. That's everyone west of Ohio and Kentucky and north of Texas, all the way to California. The 158 million people in those states make up the same share of the U.S. population -- 49% -- as the proportion of Syrians that have fled carnage there. The war in Syria is so hellish and unrelenting that more people have left that country than any other in recent years. One of every five displaced persons in the world is Syrian. Protests against the government in Syria in 2011 soon devolved into chaotic war. The fighting and later rise of ISIS forced 10.6 million people from home -- about half of Syria's pre-war population. Most Syrians who have left their homeland registered as refugees with the United Nations. Three in four Syrian refugees did that in Turkey, Lebanon or Jordan. The number of Syrians seeking safety in Europe has more than doubled in the past year. Many left Turkey and other countries for Europe to ask for asylum, a status that allows someone to live and work legally in another country. Worldwide, 59.5 million people are on the move as refugees or displaced people within their home countries. That population would be enough to make them citizens of the world's 24th biggest country. Humanity has never seen such displacement. Ever. "Wars, conflict and persecution have forced more people than at any other time since records began to flee their homes and seek refuge and safety elsewhere," the United Nations said in June. At least 15 wars and conflicts are to blame -- in Africa, the Mideast and Asia.

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Train Derailment, City of Industry, Los Angeles County – Hazardous Material Spill Report # 15-5386

On 09/13/15 at 0029 hours, Union Pacific Railroad (UPRR) advised that Railcar #TTZXTTZX862253 derailed in the upright position at the City of Industry Rail Yard. The possible cause of the derailment may have been due to a misaligned switch. The lone car derailed at MPM 502.64 of the Alhambra sub-division. The derailed car was empty at the time of the incident and there was no hazardous materials release. An investigation is currently underway. There were no injuries, no hazardous material release, and no mainline closure associated with this incident. Notifications were made per CSWC SOP.

Cal OES Activation Status

- The State Operations Center (SOC) is activated at Level 2.
- The Coastal REOC is activated at [Level 2](#).
- The Inland REOC is activated at Level 2.
- The Southern REOC is activated at Level 1.

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

Weather of Concern

Daytime highs will begin a slow decline statewide this weekend. Temperatures will drop both Saturday and Sunday but still remain a few to several degrees above normal for mid-September. Most of the week next week, however, will see near or below normal temperatures. A plume of moisture will continue to stream in from the south-southeast from remnants of Hurricane Linda off the Baja California coast. This will lead to a chance of rain and widely scattered thunderstorms across much of Southern California with the heaviest rain possible on the coastal slopes.

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:

http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/www_bc_cal.php

Exercise in Coastal Region:

Urban Shield/Yellow Command - Urban Shield will be taking place 09/11/15 - 09/14/15, attached below is a link to the event schedule. The event is kicking off and ending at Alameda County Fairgrounds 4501 Pleasanton Avenue, Pleasanton.

Event Schedule - <https://www.urbanshield.org/index.php/vendors/event-schedule>

WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AND CENTRAL COASTAL AREAS:

Eureka Weather:

A pattern change will develop this weekend as an approaching upper trough breaks down the ridge. This will bring seasonal temperatures back to northern California through early next week. There will be a slight chance for thunderstorms over the eastern mountains through the weekend and again on Monday as a couple of disturbances move through the area.

Medford Weather:

Mainly clear skies today in south central Oregon and northern California. An upper level trough moves onshore Monday with increasing southwesterly flow ahead of it. Models are indicating increased instability compared to the past several days, but are also indicating showers starting early with somewhat extensive cloud cover inhibiting heating, bringing the possibility of just a slight chance of thunderstorms Monday from the Mount Shasta area to the northeast and east. Models continue to be in very good agreement that a system on Wednesday will bring the first decent widespread rain and have upped the chance of precipitation a little more for this timeframe.

Reno Weather:

Above average temperatures will continue today with smoke and haze from large fires west of the sierra crest. Isolated to scattered showers and thunderstorms are possible today and Monday, with gusty winds and cooler temperatures Monday. Breezy and cool conditions with possible showers continue through mid week as low pressure systems move across the Pacific Northwest.

San Francisco Weather:

A weak disturbance offshore will maintain considerable cloud cover over the area today, and may produce isolated sprinkles. An upper trough will develop near the west coast early in the work week. This trough will hold inland temperatures below normal through the first half of the week and also result in rain chances at times, with the best chance of rain being in the North Bay on Wednesday and Wednesday evening. Dry weather will return by Thursday and warmer weather is forecast late in the week and into the weekend.

WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

CENTRAL CALIFORNIA AND SOUTHERN SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY:

Sacramento Weather:

Expect cooling this weekend with a slight chance of afternoon showers and thunderstorms over higher terrain. Expect additional cooling next week with a chance of rain at times, mainly over the mountains.

Hanford Weather:

Above average temperatures will continue today and then trend cooler to slightly below average by Tuesday. A weak low pressure system along with some tropical moisture will provide a slight chance of showers and thunderstorms over the mountains and desert through Sunday and extending into parts of the San Joaquin Valley on Monday and Tuesday.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:

Los Angeles Weather:

Expect fair skies today. A trough of low pressure will pass through the area Monday into Tuesday. This trough will bring cloudy skies and a chance of rain. Clearing and less humid conditions are forecast Wednesday.

Extreme Southwestern California including Orange, San Diego, Western Riverside and Southwestern San Bernardino Counties:

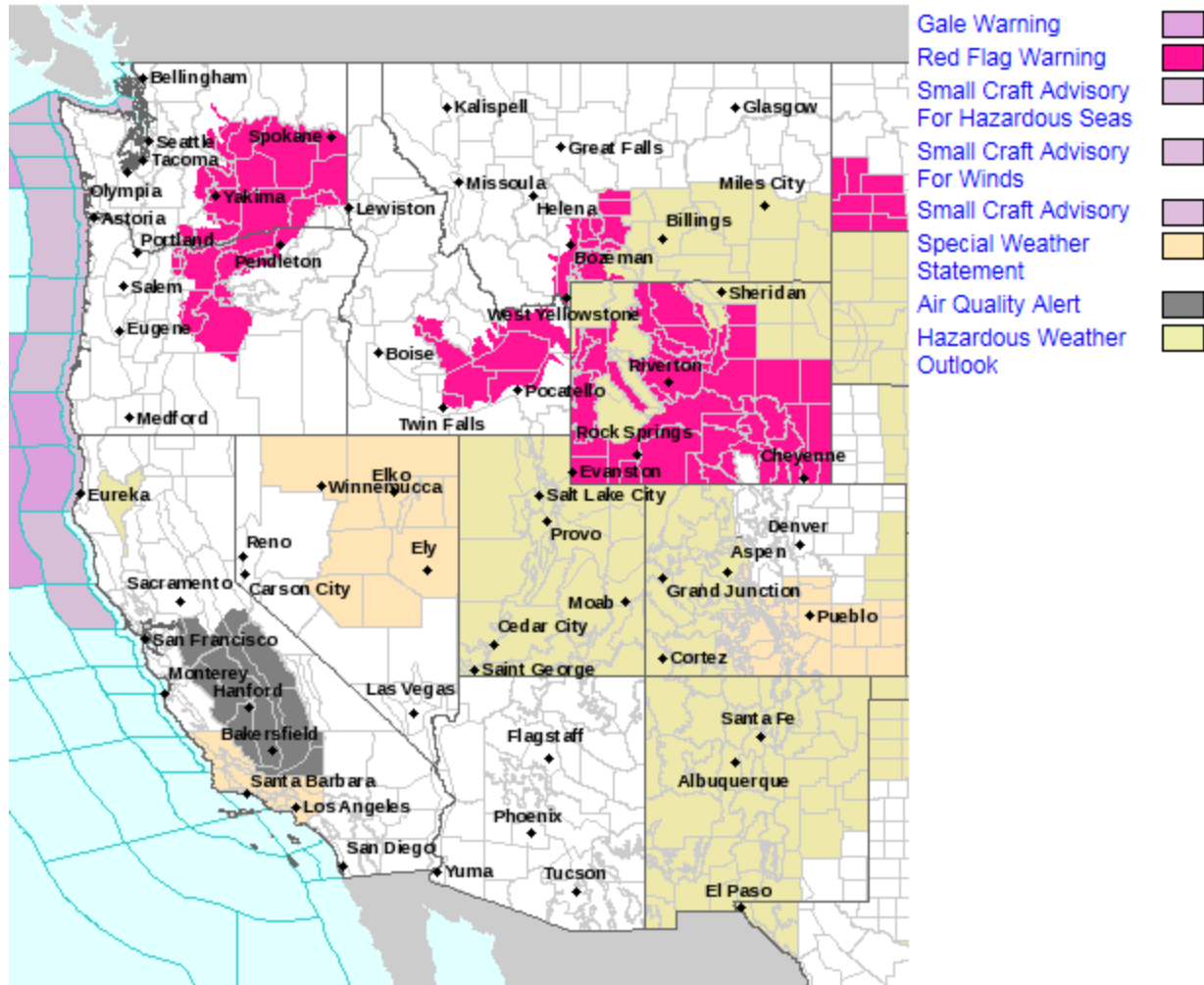
Drying will continue today with high temperatures a few degrees cooler in most areas except for the lower deserts. For Monday through early Wednesday, moisture from the remnants of former Hurricane Linda will bring periods of rain, most likely for Monday night and Tuesday, with the greater rainfall amounts most likely on the coastal mountain slopes. Drying and a warming trend will follow into next weekend.

Southeast California Weather:

Lingering moisture and instability will again result in clouds, showers and thunderstorms around the area today. A series of systems will sweep across the area from west to east between Monday and Wednesday and gradually help to dry the area out from west to east cutting back on the coverage of showers and thunderstorms each day. Dry conditions are then expected from Wednesday night through next weekend.



STATE WEATHER MAP



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SITUATION SUMMARY

FIRES, NORTHERN OPERATIONS AREA

Butte, Vegetation Fire, Amador and Calaveras County

Location: Butte Mountain Rd & Amador Lane, Jackson

Jurisdiction: DPA, SRA

Start Time: 09/09/15 at 1430 hours

Per Cal OES Duty Officers, CALFIRE, and ICS-209 as of [09/13/15 at 0605 hours](#):

- [65,215 Acres, 20% Contained](#)
- Structures Threatened: 6,000 Single Residences, 150 Multiple Residences, 150 Mixed Commercial / Residential, 100 Nonresidential Commercial Property
- Structures Destroyed: 81 Single Residences, 51 Other Minor Structures
- Local Government Resources: [298 engines](#) and [7 watertenders](#) assigned
- OES Resources: [75 OES engines](#), [2 watertenders](#), OES AC (5214) assigned
- An FMAG has been received and approved by FEMA; FEMA-5111-FM-CA.

Proclamations

- Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. has issued an Emergency Proclamation for Amador and Calaveras Counties due to the effects of the Butte Fire.
- Calaveras County Proclaimed a local emergency and requested CDAA and access to Federal resources and any other Federal disaster relief programs.

Activations

- The Cal OES State Operations Center (SOC) is activated to Level 2 in support of the Butte Fire.
- [The Cal OES Inland Region Emergency Operations Center \(IREOC\) and Coastal Region Emergency Operations Center \(CREOC\) are activated at Level 2 and operating as one combined REOC from the inland location to support both Lake and Amador-Calaveras fires.](#)
- Amador County EOC is activated to Level 2 in support of the Butte Fire.
- Calaveras County EOC is activated to Level 2 in support of the Butte Fire.
- An incident has been created in CalEOC: 2015-09-10 Butte Fire, Amador and Calaveras Counties

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Deployments

- (1) Cal OES Fire Assistant Chief (AC - 5214)
- (4) Cal OES Public Safety Communications (PSC) Technicians
- (2) Cal OES Law Enforcement ACs at the Butte Fire ICP
- (1) Cal OES Law Enforcement AC will staff the Calaveras County EOC
- Cal OES Inland Regional Administrator deployed to the Amador and Calaveras EOC's.
- (2) Cal OES Inland Region Emergency Services Coordinators (ESC) on scene at Amador County EOC
- (2) Cal OES Inland Region ESC's on scene at Calaveras County EOC
- The Tuolumne Band of Me-wuk Indians has provided a GIS representative to the Calaveras EOC.
- The Tuolumne County Sheriff and the Tuolumne County administrative staff have been in contact with their counter-parts in Calaveras County and have made offers for assistance as needed.

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Evacuations

Approximate residences: 1,500

Approximate population: 10,000 (+200)

Calaveras County:

Mandatory Evacuations:

- 09/12/15 at 1635 hours: New mandatory evacuation order for portions of San Andreas to include Pope Street, Gold Strike, West Murray, Leonard St, Mountain Ranch, Miller Court and San Andreas Elementary School. About 200 people affected. This area is inside town of San Andreas east of Highway 49.
- Government Center including EOC, jail and hospital will shelter in place.
- Town of Mokelumne Hill, East of Hwy 49 from the Amador/Calaveras County line South to Goldstrike Road. South on Goldstrike Road to the Community of San Andreas. Rural areas East of San Andreas to Mountain Ranch Road. Mountain Ranch Road to Calaveritas Road to Fourth Crossing. Fourth Crossing to Hwy 49. East side of Hwy 49 South to North side of Hwy 4 (Angels Camp). North side of Hwy 4 East to Town of Arnold. All of SR 26 from Mokelumne Hill North to the Amador/Calaveras County line. To include the communities of Glencoe, Westpoint, and Wilseyville.

Advisory Evacuations:

- City of Angels Camp, Hwy 49 South to Hwy 4 South at the city limits of Angels Camp. Town of Arnold, Northwest of Hwy 4 includes sub-divisions of Lakemont, Mill Woods and Meadowmont. Hwy 4 North to Sheep Ranch Road/Blue Lake Springs sub-division, Big Trees State Park, Town of Dorrington, Town of Murphys and Forest Meadows. Town of San Andreas. Poole Station Road, Carroll Kennedy Road, Cement Plant Road, Demarest Mine Road, Oak Valley Road, Gelding Road, Stallion Road, Deer Creek Road, Copello Road.

Amador County:

Mandatory Evacuations:

- Canyon View, Fig Tree Lane, and Ponderosa Way; the Town of Pine Grove to include all areas South of Hwy 88 from West Clinton Road, East to Ranch Drive. Inclusive of the Communities of Ranch House Estates, Pine Acres, Jackson Pines, Pine Drove Ranchettes and Lake Tabeau.

Advisory Evacuations:

- Hwy 88 from Ranch Road East to Tiger Creek Road (Red Corral and Buckhorn Areas).

Butte, Vegetation Fire, Amador and Calaveras County**Shelters / Evacuation Centers**

CDSS is working closely with the American Red Cross to monitor for increased sheltering demands. Red Cross fully anticipates being able to meet any spikes that might occur the evening of 9-11-15. CDSS will continue to stay in close communications with the Red Cross throughout the weekend to ensure that all mass care needs and concerns are identified and met.

Calaveras County:

Shelters:

- CDSS has advised and Cal OES LEB has confirmed that the Red Cross has relocated the shelter located at the Calaveras County Fairgrounds due fire activity in the area of the Fairgrounds. CDSS along with Cal OES Inland Region reports that new shelters have been established at the following locations:
- Good Samaritan Church, 4684 Baldwin St Valley Springs, CA 95252. [Midnight Shelter Count: 17](#)
- Jenny [Lyn](#) Veterans Hall, 189 Pine St Valley Springs CA. [Midnight Shelter Count: 31](#)
- Copperopolis Elementary School, 217 School Street, Copperopolis, CA 95228, non ARC Shelter, Shelter Count: 4
- Copperopolis Town Square, 100 Town Square Road, Copperopolis, CA 95228, non ARC Shelter, Shelter Count: 30
- Animal shelter: Calaveras Fairgrounds for large animals, 2465 Gun Club Road, Angels Camp, CA 95222.
- Calaveras County Animal shelter for small animals/pets only, 901 Jeff Tuttle Road, San Andreas, CA

Amador County:

- Shelters: Jackson Rancheria Casino and Resort, 12222 New York Ranch Road, Jackson, CA. This is a Red Cross Shelter. [Midnight Shelter Count: 127](#)
- Animal shelter: Amador Fairgrounds for small and large animals, 18621 Sherwood St. Plymouth, CA, 95669.

Road Closures

Calaveras County:

- 09/12/15 at 1635 hours: San Andreas Pope Street, Gold Strike, West Murray, Leonard St, Mountain Ranch, Miller Court.
- SR 26 from Mokelumne Hill to Ridge Road; Ridge Road closed to Railroad Flat Road; Railroad Flat Road closed to Mountain Ranch Road; Mountain Ranch Road closed to Hwy 49; Michel Road is closed.

Amador County:

- Clinton Road at Butte Mountain Road (Both Ends) Butte Mountain Road Cutoff at Clinton Road. Amador Lane at Clinton Road, Electra at SR 49, Ponderosa Road at Tabeaud, Access to Lake Tabeaud is closed; Hwy 88 at W. Clinton Road, Hwy 88 at Irish Town Road, Hwy 88 at Tabeaud Road, Hwy 88 at Aqueduct Circle, Highway 88 at Mount Zion, SR 26 South of Hwy 88.

Butte, Vegetation Fire, Amador and Calaveras County**Healthcare Facilities**

- American Legion Ambulance staffing 9 units (both Amador and Calaveras Counties). They have implemented emergency staffing through the incident. They will staff (9) 24 hour units through 09/11/15 and will staff 8 units 09/12 – 09/13/15.
- Per CDSS: Currently, there are 13 known community care licensing facilities impacted by the Butte Fire. The impact to these facilities has affected at least 132 clients. CDSS will continue to monitor the impact to these facilities as well as any other facilities that become impacted by the ongoing fires.
- Calaveras County: Avalon Health Care San Andreas (Skilled Nursing Facility): Update on 9/12/15 at 1201 hours from Region IV MHOAC (designee). Air quality remains good. Met with the site manager and the facility has no immediate needs. The facility transferred 12 at-risk patients yesterday leaving the current census of 71. Resources are available if evacuation is necessary. Site maintenance had procured 10 additional HEPA filters which should be on-site 9/12/15.
- Per Medical Health Operational Area Coordinator, Calaveras, Region IV. Mark Twain Medical Center (MTMC): Transferring 7 patients to outlying facilities due to poor air quality within the facility. All transfers to be performed by American Legion with no assistance needed. There was an HVAC malfunction which allowed outside air to be circulated within the facility. Problem mitigated and new filters installed. Air quality has improved significantly over the 2 hours since the mitigation. After the transfer of these 7 patients, the MTMC census of Admitted patients will be 0 (zero). Facility remains open to traffic with all services available. No significant Emergency Department visits due to respiratory problems.
- Amador County: Sutter Amador Hospital (General Acute Care Hospital): Update 9/11/15 2030 hours from MHOAC, (designee) Region IV Fire continues to impact the region with widespread growth affecting air quality. No issue or immediate need at the moment. Hospital environment safe and no complaints of increase in respiratory issues. Air quality inside the hospital is good. They are prepared for evacuation if needed and continue to maintain their census by acuity. All clinical units are open. Only emergency surgeries are being performed with 2 scheduled for Saturday. There is concern about staff and their families who have been evacuated. EAP services have been brought in for employees and their families. Hospital ICS continues to operate with regular updates. Expecting shipment of Albuterol tomorrow to pharmacy.

Cal OES Law Branch

- As of 9/11/15 there are 10 LE Agencies, consisting of 65 personnel assisting as mutual aid. The agencies are: Sacramento Sheriff's Department, Sacramento PD, Citrus Heights PD, Stanislaus Sheriff's Department, Yolo Sheriff's Department, Tuolumne Sheriff's Department, San Joaquin Sheriff's Department, Folsom PD, El Dorado Sheriff's Department, CHP.
- Calaveras Sheriff's Office also requested 30 LE personnel for night shifts for 8 Operational Periods beginning 9/11. LE Personnel were obtained from the following Region V agencies: Fresno PD – 12 Officers, 2 Sgts; Madera SD – 6 Deputies; Merced SD – 5 Deputies; Los Banos PD – 4 Officers; Livingston PD – 2 Officers; Kings SD – 4 Deputies; Tulare SD – 2 Deputies.
- Calaveras Sheriff's Office also requested mutual aid dispatchers, including 2 dispatchers per shift for the next 3 days. Personnel were obtained from agencies in Regions IV and V as follows: Folsom PD – 1 Dispatcher; Rocklin PD – 2 Dispatchers; Corcoran PD – 2 Dispatchers; Tuolumne SD – 1 Dispatcher.



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Infrastructure

- Per Cal EPA EF 10 Coordinator as of 14:00, 9/11/2015:
 - SWRCB Division of Drinking Water reached out to local engineers in Calaveras County and determined that the current water system issues were all power related. Portable power is being used to address the issues.
- Per CUEA, PG&E presently has 6,500 out of services and today they will undertake an aggressive transmission and distribution reconstruction of the support infrastructure supporting Electra Power House facility.
 - No impact to PG&E Hydro Generation.
 - All five cell towers impacted presently on full portable generation.
 - East Bay Municipal Utilities District reporting no impact to their water system.
- Per Cal OES Public Safety Communications: The communications site Sierra Vista has burned over due to the Butte Fire. State agencies who are in that site are CALFIRE, Department of Transportation (DOT) and California Highway Patrol (CHP). A technician responded to the site to assess the damage.
 - Phone lines and power are down.
 - CALFIRE has a portable repeater being installed at the site. CALFIRE is operational.
 - CHP is using coverage of other sites. CHP is down because the repeater is phone line controlled.
 - DOT is operational.
- Per Cal OES Public Safety Communications: CAL-Fire TCU headquarters in San Andreas is currently being evacuated. PSC has a shop located within that facility. PSC technicians were evacuated out of the facility. A snowcat assigned to the facility was towed out and the test equipment was also removed by the technicians.
- Per the Cal OES Critical Infrastructure Protection (CIP) Division: There are seven CIP identified, state-level, critical infrastructure sites that meet the draft criteria and are within 10 miles of the fire – Amador County EOC, their Department of Public Health mail office, Calaveras County EOC, their Department of Public Health main office, the origin of the Mokelumne Aqueduct, the Pardee Dam and Reservoir, and the Jackson Creek Spillway and Dam. The buildings are vulnerable to fire but the two dams and aqueduct are generally less vulnerable to fire. Other infrastructure noted in the 10 mile radius are multiple PSC communications towers, 5 hydro power plants (99, 14, 4.5, 1.4, .23MW), multiple associated substations, multiple transmission lines (230, 115, 80, 60kV, +), and two natural gas lines (12 and 10 inch).

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Missions

- Mission # 2015-LAW-15806. 15 single person patrol cars are requested to assist with evacuations for the town of Mokelumne Hill
- Mission # 2015-IREOC-15822. Air Resources Board will provide 3 air monitors at the request of Amador County Air Pollution Control Officer to be placed in 3 locations: Sutter Creek Elementary School, 340 Spanish St., Sutter Creek, 95685; ACES Waste Services, 19801 Berry St., Pine Grove, CA 95665; and County Admin. Ctr. 810 Court St., Jackson Ca, 95642.
- Mission # 2015-IREOC-15818. 6 air monitors for the Calaveras Environmental Health who will coordinate locations with ARB. Currently, only two are available. One will be placed at Mountain Ranch Volunteer Station, 8041 Washington Street and one will be placed at Calaveras Consolidated Fire Department, 129 Hwy 12, Valley Springs.
- Mission # 2015-IREOC-15857. Portable Repeater 1 of the Calaveras Repeaters has lost power and is in accessible due to the Fire. Calaveras County needs a repeater to bump communications up to the level prior as impacts have created spotty communications Law enforcement and Ambulance personnel are having very difficult time speaking to each other. The repeater was delivered to the Calaveras EOC and placement will be dependent on the fire behavior.
- EMMA Request Number 15830. This request is for 1 Eldorado County Emergency Manager to assist in the Calaveras County EOC. Update: Demobilized. **Mission Closed**
- EMMA Request Pending for 3 Eldorado County personnel to assist at the Amador County Animal Shelter. Amador County is further coordinating 2 additional staff that is enroute from Sacramento County.
- MIGU-4 has been requested to provide OASIS support for the Butte Fire, CA-AEU-024918, E-644 and will be at the Amador Fairgrounds, 18621 Sherwood St., Plymouth, CA 95669.
- Per the CalEPA EF10 Coordinator as of 14:00 hours, 9/11/2015, Calaveras County Environmental Manager, Jason Boetzer, requested that CalEPA work with the county on coordinating eventual cleanup activities.
- Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) was requested to lean forward to the county to provide information and guidance. CalRecycle was requested to lean forward to provide similar information.
- CalRecycle is currently not able to do this because they are actively managing two geographically separate wildland fire cleanup activities. CalRecycle management has been notified.

Valley, Vegetation Fire, Lake/Napa County

Location: Bottle Rock Road x Glenbrook Road, Northwest of Middletown

Jurisdiction: State DPA, SRA

Start Time: 09/12/15 at 1325

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and CAL FIRE as of 09/13/15 at 0541 hours:

- 40,000 Acres, 0% Contained
- Structures Threatened: 9,000 Single Residences, 150 Nonresidential Commercial Property
- Structures Damaged: 25 Single Residences, 5 Nonresidential Commercial Property
- Structures Destroyed: 100 Single Residences, 25 Nonresidential Commercial Property
- No resource count provided in latest 209.
- An FMAG request has been received by Cal OES and has been forwarded to FEMA Region 9. FEMA Region 9 approved the FMAG on 09/12/15 at 2229 hours.

Proclamations

- Proclamation of Local emergency received from Lake County due to the Valley Vegetation Fire with no specific requests.

Activations

- The Cal OES State Operations Center (SOC) is activated to Level 2 in support of the Valley Fire.
- The Cal OES Inland Region Emergency Operations Center (IREOC) and Coastal Region Emergency Operations Center (CREOC) are activated at Level 2 and operating as one combined REOC from the inland location to support both Lake and Amador-Calaveras fires.
- Lake County EOC is activated at level 2 with 24 hour operations. The EOC is located at the Konkoti Vista Casino at 2755 Mission Rancheria Road, Lakeport CA as of 0800 hours on 09/13/15.
- Napa County at this time is on duty officer status and monitoring the fire activities.

Deployments

- Coastal Region SESC Roger Sigtermans was deployed to Lake County EOC at 1800 hours on 09/12/15. Returned home as of 0245 09/13/15 and will return for another shift on 09/13/15.
- Coastal Region RA Jodi Traversaro is deployed to Lake County as of 2000 hours on 09/12/15.
- Coastal Deputy RA Ryan Arba is deployed to the shelter in Calistoga as of 2200 hours on 09/12/15
- Coastal Region Ports & Harbors ESC is deployed to IREOC as of 0600 hours 09/13/15 to assist with REOC operations for both Inland and Coastal Fires.
- Cal OES Law Enforcement Assistant Chief deployed to Valley Fire.



Valley, Vegetation Fire, Lake/Napa County**Evacuations**

- Mandatory Evacuations Orders in effect for the following areas:
- Bottle Rock Road
- [High Valley Road](#)
- [Hwy 175 Cobb](#)
- [Hwy 29 Tubbs Lane \(Calistoga, Napa County\) to Hwy 29/Hwy 53 \(Lower Lake, Lake County\)](#)
- [Butts Canyon Road to Napa County Line](#), including Berryessa Estates.
- Communities of Cobb, [Middletown](#) and Hidden Valley Lakes

Shelters

- Lake County: Kelseyville Presbyterian Church, 5340 Church Street, Kelseyville. Capacity of 100 people, with plans to relocate to Kelseyville High School this morning. [Midnight Shelter Count – 85](#)
- Napa County: Calistoga Fair Grounds, 1435 N Oak St, Calistoga, CA 94515. The shelter is hosting small domestic and large animals, besides humans. [Midnight Shelter Count – 200](#)

Road Closures

- At approximately 1845 hours on 09/12/15 State Route 29 was closed 2 miles north of Calistoga.
- Highway 29 at Bottle Rock Road, Highway 29 at Highway 175 (Kelseyville and Middletown), Highway 29 at Red Hills Road and Highway 29 at Loch Lomond. Highway 29 is also closed from Spruce Grove Road North in Lower Lake to Butts Canyon Road in Middletown.

Valley, Vegetation Fire, Lake/Napa County**Health and Medical****Per EMSA:**

- Both hospitals have seen fire-related patients.
- Staff associated with both hospitals has had direct impacts on their homes, but more so for St. Helena Hospital Clearlake, which has set up cots in hospital offices and its outpatient clinic to house staff and families.
- Due to road conditions, St. Helena Hospital Clearlake anticipates sending inter-facility transfers to Ukiah Valley Medical Center instead of St. Helena, and may gain some staff assistance from them as well.
- Heavy smoke has been observed, so air quality issues exist, but immediate rescue operations are the focus at present.
- Local fire and EMS resources are fully engaged; Cal FIRE has requested and been approved to bring 2 private ambulances in to support its operations under a vendor arrangement and as mutual aid.

Access and Functional Needs

- CDSS is monitoring and FAST teams will be deployed if needs are identified. CDSS has been briefed on the situation and evacuations.

Infrastructure

- There are reports of power outages in Lake County and power lines are down blocking roads
- Per PSC, AT&T is reporting a remote isolation in Cobb Mountain, Lake County. The remote switch serves 1531 ATNs. AT&T is gathering further information and will send as available. The area is under mandatory evacuations due to the Valley Fire. Based on the information received, splicers are unable to access the area due to the fire and evacuations. Affected NPA-NXX is 707-928, serving PSAP is Lake County Sheriff.
- Per the Cal OES Critical Infrastructure Protection (CIP) Division: There is no CIP-identified state-critical infrastructure within ten miles of the current fire area.
- There are ten PG&E geothermal power plants ranging in capacity from 22MW-120MW within one mile of the current burn area, as well as their associated substations and transmission lines. Additionally there are five Public Safety Communications (PSC) tower sites within one mile of the current burn area. This information is locational only.

Valley, Vegetation Fire, Lake/Napa County**Mutual Aid**

- Immediate LEMA request for 8 patrol units to assist with evacuations. Solano County Sheriff is sending 4 units along with the 4 from Napa County Sheriff. Alameda County Sheriff, RMAC Region II, is coordinating.

Missions

- 2015-CREOC-15886 - FAST Team for Calistoga Fairgrounds - per CDSS, once AFN needs are identified FAST teams will be deployed. State and County Coordinators have been briefed for the possible need.
- 15887 - EMMA - requesting chiefs for Plans, Logistics, Finance, and Operations, Cal EOC SME - coordination needed
- 2015-CREOC-15884 - 3 animal control teams for large animal rescue - coordination needed
- 2015-CREOC-15890 - 3 PIOs for Lake EOC - coordination needed
- 2015-CREOC-15892 - Cal Trans rep to Lake EOC - coordination needed
- 2015-CREOC-15891 - CHP rep to Lake EOC - coordination needed
- 2015-CREOC-15893 - Cal Fire rep to Lake EOC - coordination needed
- Two Caches (56 radios) have been requested by Lake County Sheriffs Office to be used with out of county LEO who are assisting with road closures and evacuations on the Valley Fire. Mission number pending.

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FIRES, NORTHERN OPERATIONS AREA

Lumpkin, Vegetation Fire, Butte County

Location: Lumpkin Road x of Forbes Town Road, Robinson Mill

Jurisdiction: State DPA, SRA

Start Time: 09/11/15 at 1415

Per CAL FIRE and ICS-209 as of [09/13/15 at 0553 hours](#):

- 350 Acres, 20% Contained
- EOC Activations: Butte County has developed a staffing pattern in the event that the OA EOC is activated.

Walker, Vegetation Fire, Shasta County (Final)

Location: Windwalker Lane Lane x Small Farms Road, Igo

Jurisdiction: State DPA, SRA

Start Time: 9/11/15 at 1947 hours

Per CAL FIRE as of [09/13/15 at 0717 hours](#):

- 109 acres grass, brush, [100% contained](#)
- Structure threat mitigated

SITUATION SUMMARY

FIRES, NORTHERN OPERATIONS AREA

River Complex, Vegetation Fire, Trinity County

Location: Near the communities of Dailey Ranch, Hoboken, and Denny

Jurisdiction: FRA

Start Time: 07/31/15 at 2200 hours

Per Cal OES, CAL FIRE, and/or ICS-209 as of [09/13/15 at 0606 hours](#):

- [76,538 Acres](#), 50% Contained

Missions

- 2015-SOC-15174 Four air monitors to Trinity OA
- 2015-SOC-15003 Two air monitors to Siskiyou OA

Nickowitz, Vegetation Fire, Del Norte County

Location: Nickowitz Peak

Jurisdiction: FRA

Start Time: 08/01/15 at 1123 hours

Per Cal OES, CAL FIRE, and/or ICS-209 as of 09/12/15 at 1747 hours:

- 7,006 Acres, 78% Contained

SITUATION SUMMARY

FIRES, NORTHERN OPERATIONS AREA

Gasquet Complex, Vegetation Fire, Del Norte County

Location: Gasquet, 19 miles northeast of Crescent City

Jurisdiction: FRA

Start Time: 8/03/15 at 1800 hours

Per Cal OES, CAL FIRE, and/or ICS-209 as of 09/13/15 at 0547 hours:

- 30,174 Acres, 46% Contained

Missions

- 2015-SOC-15400 One air monitor for Yurok Tribe
- 2015-SOC-15542 One air monitor for Yurok tribe
- 2015-CREOC-14948 One air monitor to Del Norte OA

SITUATION SUMMARY

FIRES, SOUTHERN OPERATIONS AREA

Antelope, Vegetation Fire, Kern County (Final)

Location: Tehachapi Mountain Park – 1 Mile South of Tehachapi

Jurisdiction: SRA

Start Time: 09/09/15 at 1145 hours

Per CALFIRE as of 09/13/15 at 0717 hours:

- 45 Acres, 90% Contained
- No CAL FIRE resources assigned

SITUATION SUMMARY

FIRES, SOUTHERN OPERATIONS AREA

Tenaya, Vegetation Fire, Mariposa County

Location: North rim of Yosemite Valley, East of Yosemite Falls on Yosemite National Park

Start Time: 09/07/2015 at 2123 hours

Per Cal OES, CAL FIRE, and ICS-209 as of [09/13/15 at 0558 hours](#):

- 502 Acres, 70% contained
- Type 3 IC in place

Major Impacts:

- Fire has potential to impact Tioga Road if the fire spread continues north. This roadway is a major route of travel across the Sierra Nevada.

SITUATION SUMMARY

FIRES, SOUTHERN OPERATIONS AREA

Rough, Vegetation Fire, Fresno County

Location: 5 miles north of Hume Lake and 2.5 miles southwest of Spanish Mountain

Jurisdiction: FRA

Start Time: 07/31/15 at 1933 hours

Per Cal OES, CAL FIRE, and/or ICS-209 as of [09/13/15 at 0558 hours](#):

- [129,877 Acres, 31% Contained](#)

EOC Activations: Fresno County EOC is activated at Level 1.

Evacuations

- Mandatory evacuations in effect for Pinehurst, Dunlap, Grant Grove, Cedar Grove, Wilsonia, Sequoia High Sierra Camp, Goins Ranch, Hart Meadows, Big Meadow, Kennedy Meadow, Hume Lake, Kings lodge, Crabtree, Armenian Church Camp, Sequoia Lake, Sequoia Highlands, Davis Flats and Sampson flat.
- Evacuation Warnings in effect for Marimonte and Weston.
- Residents who have a Dunlap, Miramonte, or Pinehurst zip code are considered to be in either a mandatory evacuation area or an evacuation warning area.

Mandatory Evacuation Areas:

- All properties on the north and south sides of Highway 180 east of the Highway 180/Dunlap Road junction.
- All properties adjacent to the north side of Dunlap Road from the Highway 180/Dunlap Road junction to the Dunlap Road/Millwood Road Junction.
- All properties on both sides of Millwood Road.
- All properties on both sides of Todd Eymann Road from Millwood Road to Highway 245.
- All properties on both sides of Highway 245 from Todd Eymann Road to Highway 180.

Evacuation Warning Areas:

- All properties on the south side of Dunlap Road from the Highway 180/Dunlap Road junction east to the Dunlap Road/Millwood Road junction
- All properties on both sides of Dunlap Road from the Dunlap Road/Millwood Road junction east to the Dunlap Road/Highway 245 junction.
- All properties on both sides of Brookside Road.

SITUATION SUMMARY

FIRES, SOUTHERN OPERATIONS AREA

Rough, Vegetation Fire, Fresno County

Shelters

- Sanger Community Center, 730 Recreation Street, Sanger, CA 93657. Midnight Shelter Count: 0

Road Closures

- At approximately 0825 hours on 09/10/15 State Route 245 was closed from 4 miles south of the junction of State Route 180 to the junction of State Route 180.
- Highway 180 is closed east of Dunlap Road, including access roads to highway 180 (Road 245 at Pinehurst Work Center; Millwood Road between Dunlap and Highway 180). Highway 180 is also closed at Red Fir on the Generals Highway (Highway 198) on the southern entrance to the park.

Infrastructure

- Per the Cal OES Critical Infrastructure Protection (CIP) Division: Small PG&E substation (estimated capacity 9-33kV) in Dunlap threatened. 220kV SCE transmission line seven miles to the southwest threatened.

Missions

- 2015-IREOC-15460 Two air monitors to Mariposa OA
- 2015-IREOC-15468 One air monitor to Madera OA
- 2015-Inland-15812 Three air monitors delivered to cities of Parlier, Sanger, Dunlap

SITUATION SUMMARY

NATIONAL GUARD RESOURCES

California National Guard

Per the Cal OES FDO as of 09/13/15 at 0700 hours:

Mission Task 2015-FIRE-15860

- 4 Type-1 Copters and 1 Type-3 Copter with water dropping buckets and personnel transportation capabilities
- 12 Type-2 twenty person handcrews have been assigned to train for statewide fire responses

Mission Task 2015-FIRE-15744

- 1 FFT (Friendly Force Tracking) Unit has been assigned to the 2015 Bay Area Urban Shield Exercise

FIRE ACTIVITY



Preparedness Levels

National Preparedness Level 4

Northern California

Preparedness Level 3, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

Southern California

Preparedness Level 3, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

California Fire Potential & Weather Maps

Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

NWS California River Forecast Center:

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>

CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC is activated in support of the Drought State of Emergency and continue to monitor the situation.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-26-14 on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought, specifically through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-29-15 on 04/01/15 which announced actions that will save water, increase enforcement to prevent wasteful water use, streamline the state's drought response and invest in new technologies to make California more drought resilient.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.
- Cal OES Recovery continues to coordinate the Community Impacts Workgroup conference calls. Currently, the calls take place on alternating Wednesdays.
- Cal OES Recovery/Individual Assistance finalized an updated 2015 version of the drought brochure of programs and services for individuals, businesses, farmers, and ranchers. It has been put on the Governor's Drought webpage. State agencies may put the following link to the brochure on their webpage <http://ca.gov/drought/pdf/Drought-Assistance-Brochure-2015.pdf>
- Cal OES Regions (Inland, Coastal, Southern) collective OA drought call is facilitated by the SOC every Monday at 1100 hours.

CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

Local Emergency Proclamations:

A total of 60 local Emergency Proclamations have been received to date from city, county, and tribal governments, as well as special districts:

- 27 Counties: Butte, El Dorado, Fresno, Glenn, Inyo, Humboldt, Kern, Kings, Lake, Madera, Mariposa, Merced, Modoc, Plumas, San Bernardino, San Joaquin, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Shasta, Siskiyou, Sonoma, Stanislaus, Sutter, Trinity, Tulare, Tuolumne, and Yuba.
- 12 Cities: City of Live Oak (Sutter County), City of Lodi (San Joaquin County), City of Manteca (San Joaquin County), City of Montague (Siskiyou County), City of Porterville (Tulare County), City of Portola (Plumas County), City of Ripon (San Joaquin County), City of San Juan Bautista (San Benito County), City of Santa Barbara (Santa Barbara County), City of Rancho Cucamonga (San Bernardino County) and City of West Sacramento (Yolo County) and City of Willits (Mendocino County).
- 9 Tribes: Cortina Indian Rancheria (Colusa County), Hoopa Valley Tribe (Humboldt County), Karuk Tribe (Siskiyou/Humboldt Counties), Kashia Band of Pomo Indians of the Stewarts Point Rancheria (Sonoma County), Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians (Madera County) Sherwood Valley Pomo Indian Tribe (Mendocino County), Tule River Indian Tribe (Tulare County), Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation (Yolo County), and Yurok Tribe (Humboldt County).
- 12 Special Districts: Carpinteria Valley Water District (Santa Barbara County), Goleta Water District (Santa Barbara County), Groveland Community Services District (Tuolumne County), Lake Don Pedro Community Services District (Mariposa Stanislaus County), Mariposa Public Utility District (Mariposa County), Meiners Oaks Water District (Ventura County), Montecito Water District (Santa Barbara County), Mountain House Community Service District (San Joaquin County), Nevada Irrigation District (Nevada County), Placer County Water Agency (Placer County), Tuolumne Utilities District (Tuolumne County), and Twain Harte Community Services District (Tuolumne County).

CAL OES MISSIONS

Ongoing Cal OES Missions

- **2015-LAW-15806, 9/10/2015, 0030 hours**, a LEMA (Law Enforcement Mutual Aid) request was received from Calaveras County Sheriff's Department to assist with the Butte Mountain Fire. A/Chief Dailey is working with Sacramento County Sheriff, Region IV RMAC to fill the request of 15 law enforcement officers for today's operational period. The LEMA request is for law enforcement officers to assist with evacuations of the town of Mokelumne Hill and areas on north side of Highway 26 from Montgomery to Highway 49 and areas East of Highway 49. **Update: 9/11/15** 30 sworn personnel from 5 agencies are assisting as LEMA on Friday, 9/11. Those agencies are: Folsom PD, El Dorado S.O., CHP, Sacramento PD, and Turlock PD. The Region IV RMAC continues to coordinate LEMA. No out of region mutual aid has been requested however both RMAC's from Regions II and V have been alerted. UPDATE: 0930, 9-11-15, CCSO requested support with portable radio cache of 20 radios and radio repeaters. Radio request was filled by Cal Fire Comm unit. OES T-Comm supported the repeater request and included their tasking under the LEB mission number. An out of region LEMA request was received by Region V for 30 officers and is being filled by Fresno S.O., as the RMAC for Region V coordinating. **Mission On-going**



Mission:

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